

From the Town Clerk of Pelham N.H.

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator—Charles W. Hobbs.

Selectmen—Charles W. Hobbs, William D. Smith, Forrest A. Richardson.

Town Clerk—Harry H. Atwood (resigned Sept 1, 1916), Charles B. Stickney (appointed Sept. 1, 1916).

Town Treasurer—Fred A. Greeley.

Supervisors of the Check-list—Frank M. Woodbury, Albert W. Lewis, John W. Peabody.

Representative to the General Court—Fred A. Greeley.

Constables—Edgar F. Kendrick, Fred A. Burton.

Library Trustees—Frank M. Woodbury, Sheffield H. Lyon, Charles W. Hobbs.

Cemetery Trustees—Daniel M. Webster, Forest E. Kelley, Charles W. Hobbs, Fred A. Greeley, George P. Wood, Sheffield H. Lyon.

Sexton—Daniel M. Webster.

Tree Warden—Frank M. Woodbury.

Auditors—Daniel P. Atwood, Sherman Hobbs, Forest E. Kelley.

Tax Collector—Daniel G. B. Burns.

Highway Agents—Willis H. Nutting, Charles N. Guild, John H. Mansfield.

Inspectors of Elections—Frank Stickney, Daniel P. Atwood, Arthur H. Peabody, Daniel G. Carleton.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Charles W. Hobbs

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber—Charles W. Hobbs, Rei M. Hills, Frank H. Hillman, George M. Muldoon, Edward C. Marshall, Willis H. Nutting, Edwin J. Atwood, John L. Mansur.

Fence Viewers—Willis H. Nutting, George M. Muldoon,
Edgar F. Kendrick.

Grand Juror—Harold S. Frost, May Term, 1915.

Petit Jurors—George P. Wood, Samuel A. Richardson,
Sept. Term 1914; Rockwood D. Snow, January Term 1916.

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the Town of Pelham in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Pilgrim Hall in said Pelham on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.
3. To bring in your ballots for Delegates and alternates to the National Convention for the nomination of candidates for President and Vice President of the United States.
4. To see if the town will vote to raise appropriate and set apart the amount of money necessary to secure State aid for permanent improvement of highways; under the law passed January session, 1905.
5. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the repair of highways and bridges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same and determine in what manner the same shall be expended.
6. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the extermination of Moths and Beetles.
7. To choose two persons for three years for trustees of Cemeteries.

8. To choose one person for three years and one person for two years as trustees of the Public Library.

9. To choose by ballot one person for three years, one person for two years, and one person for one year, as trustees of trust funds of the town.

10. To see how much money the town will vote to raise in addition to the amount required by law, for the Public Library.

11. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for Cemeteries the ensuing year.

12. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the observance of Memorial Day.

13. To see if the town will vote to build a Town Hall building, to see how much money they will vote to raise and appropriate for the same, choose committees, or take any other action relating thereto.

14. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount of two per cent on tax list of 1916 paid before September 1, 1916.

15. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixteen.

CHARLES W. HOBBS, } Selectmen
WILLIAM D. SMITH, } of
FORREST A. RICHARDSON } Pelham

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CHARLES W. HOBBS, } Selectmen
WILLIAM D. SMITH, } of
FORREST A. RICHARDSON } Pelham

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF PELHAM, APRIL 1st, 1915

	Value
No. of Polls,	263
No. of acres of real estate	16,937 \$577,650.00
No. of horses	230 29,260.00
No. of mules	2 400.00
No. of oxen	2 225.00
No. of cows	698 32,410.00
No. of neat stock	87 2,756.00
No. of sheep	5 31.00
No. of hogs	31 572.00
No. of fowls	7,205 5,245.00
Automobiles and vehicles	24 8,600.00
Portable mills (steam)	3 2,200.00
Sawing machines, etc.	7 700.00
Wood and lumber	36,235.00
Stock in National Banks	1,000.00
Money on hand at interest	33,160.00
Stock in trade	4,700.00
Mills and machinery	4,300.00
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	\$739,444.00
Amount exempted to soldiers and soldiers' widows	\$7,100.00
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	\$746,544.00

TAXES ASSESSED IN 1915

State tax	\$1,280.00
County tax	904.41
Town charges	500.00
Highways and bridges including	
maintenance of state roads . . .	2,500.00
Highways to receive state aid . . .	1,084.50
Public library	150.00
Memorial Day	25.00
School money required by law . . .	1,200.00
School money for tuition	1,000.00
School money for repairs	100.00
School money for books, etc. . . .	200.00
School money for salaries	150.00
School money for graded school . .	650.00
Overlay	125.92

	\$9,869.83
Resident tax	7,650.60
Non-Resident tax	2,219.23

	\$9,869.83

Rate of taxation, \$12.60 on \$1,000.

PAY OF TOWN OFFICERS

Charles W. Hobbs, Selectman to March, 1915	\$125.00
William D. Smith, Selectman to March, 1915	75.00
Forrest A. Richardson, Selectman to March, 1915	75.00

Fred A. Greeley, Treasurer to March, 1915	\$40.00
Harry H. Atwood, Town Clerk to March, 1915	40.00
Daniel G. B. Burns, Tax Collector, 1914	110.00
Chas. W. Hobbs, Moderator, term ending Nov., 1914 and March, 1915	20.00
D. P. Atwood, March and Novem- ber, 1914	9.00
F. A. Greeley, Ballot Clerk, Nov., 1914	3.00
Dr. E. Hyde, Board of Health . . .	15.00
D. M. Webster, Sexton, 6 burials .	24.00

	\$536.00

MEMORIAL DAY FUND

Balance in Treasury, Feb. 15, 1915	\$13.53
Town Appropriation, 1915	25.00

	\$38.53
Paid Speaker	\$5.00
Flags, etc.	2.00

	7.00
Balance in Treasury	\$31.53

SCHOOL MONEY

Literary fund, 1914	\$127.38
Dog fund, 1914	264.84
Proportion of school fund, 1914	517.98
Amount required by law, 1915	1,200.00
District appropriation tuition, etc.	1,000.00
District appropriation for repairs	100.00
District appropriation for books, etc.	200.00
District appropriation for salaries	150.00
District appropriation for graded school	650.00
	—————
	\$4,210.20
Paid Charles W. Hobbs, District Treasurer	\$4,210.20

MOTH ACCOUNT

Balance in Treasury Feb. 15, 1915	\$33.37
Paid C. W. Hobbs express and postage for notices	2.52
	—————
Balance unexpended	\$30.85

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Paid C. W. Hobbs, janitor	\$52.00
H. H. Atwood, oil, etc.	3.15
H. H. Currier, insurance for 3 years	56.00
Trustees, town appropriation	150.00
	—————
	\$261.15

FIRE ACCOUNT

Paid H. H. Atwood at cost, 12 Ex-	
tinguishers	\$80.10
Talbot Chemical Co., for	
charges	11.74
H. H. Atwood, for soda, etc. . .	5.89
Salem Hose Co., for services	
May 12 and April 14, 1915 . .	37.50
F. M. Woodbury, Fire Warden,	
cash paid	7.00

Received from state half of last two	
items	\$22.50

COUNTY CHARGES

Paid W. S. Ellenwood for articles	
furnished Mrs. I. J. Brown and	
family	\$79.26
This has been repaid by the County	
of Hillsborough, also expenses of	
town in the Kmitink case of last	
year	7.00

INTEREST ON TRUST FUNDS

Paid Geo. P. Wood interest on cem-	
etary trust funds to Feb. 15, 1916	\$131.37

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES

Paid State tax	\$1,280.00
County tax	904.41

	\$2,184.41

DISCOUNT ON TAXES

Allowed D. G. B. Burns, Collector,	
2 per cent discount on taxes paid	
before Sept. 1st, 1915	\$81.42

ABATEMENT OF TAXES

Part of Andrew Carter's tax of 1914	\$7.04
N. W. Smith, automobile tax of 1914	3.78
David Salves, tax and costs of 1914	5.11
M. J. Allen, tax of 1914	2.63
J. Cote, poll tax of 1914	2.00
J. Calvert, poll tax of 1914	2.00
A. C. Chase, poll tax of 1914	2.00
Wm. Duffin, poll tax of 1914	2.00
Edw. Emery, poll tax of 1914	2.00
Wm. Henderson, poll tax of 1914	2.00
F. E. Marsh, poll tax of 1914	2.00
Jas. Noonan, poll tax of 1914	2.00
John L. Raymond, poll tax of 1914	2.00
C. E. Badger, poll tax of 1914	2.00
Willis Hobbs, tax of 1914	3.26
P. H. Hoyt, tax of 1914	3.26
C. M. Hillman, poll tax of 1914	2.00
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	\$47.08

MISCELLANEOUS

Paid F. E. Cole & Co., printing reports, 1915	\$72.00
H. H. Atwood, cash for ballots, 1915	6.00
D. M. Webster, use of Pilgrim Hall	24.00

F. A. Richardson, expense and fees, County Sealer	\$11.00
H. H. Atwood, cash for Statute Laws	6.00
Postage and stationery	1.00
Dog license book and notices	2.60
Recording births and deaths	4.05
Chas. B. Stickney, Town Clerk, vital statistics	2.40
C. W. Hobbs, expenses Selectmen twice to Manchester	6.00
expense to Concord Railroad hearing	2.25
blanks stationary, postage, telephone, car fare etc., for transients	3.65
	2.40
	—————
	\$143.35

ROADS AND BRIDGES

Paid $\frac{1}{2}$ of expense on bridge at Butler's Mills, 1914. . . .	\$17.21
$\frac{1}{2}$ of expense painting and repairs of Iron Bridge	10.57
D. W. Clement repairs on Road machine	4.50
	—————
	\$32.28

SNOW BILLS

Paid W. H. Nutting, snow paths,
 Feb. 14, 1916 \$2.69

ROAD COMMISSIONERS—ACCOUNT OF CHARLES N. GUILD

March and April

C. N. Guild, 8 1-9 days	\$16.22
W. Guild and team, 7 1-9 days	28.44
Richard Currier and team, 6 days	24.00
Will Livingstone, 8 days	14.00
W. Davis, 4 days	7.00
For gravel	2.60
	—————
	\$92.26

May Statement

C. N. Guild, with team, 1 day	\$4.25
C. N. Guild, 10 3-4 days	21.66
W. Guild and team, 10 6-9 days	42.66
Will Livingstone, 10 5-9 days	18.47
John Guild, 6 5-9 days	11.47
Richard Currier and team, 5 5-9 days	22.22
W. Davis, 7 5-9 days	13.22
Fred Lary, 5 5-9 days	9.72
A. Lewis, 1 day	1.75
Geo. P. Wood, 5-9 day . . . . .	.97
Powder, .40, sharpening drills, 1.20,	
dynamite and caps, 5.70	7.30
115 loads gravel at .05	5.75
	—————
	\$159.44

June Statement

C. N. Guild, 12 days	\$24.00
Walter Guild and team, 12 days	48.00
Richard Currier and team, 1 day	4.00
Will Livingstone, 12 days	21.00
Fred Lary, 11 days	19.25
Geo. Kent, 6 days	10.50
175 loads gravel	8.75
	—————
	\$135.50

July Statement

C. N. Guild, 8-9 day	\$1.78
W. Guild and team, 6-9 day	2.67
Will Livingstone, 8-9 day	1.56
5 loads gravel . . . . .	.25
	—————
	\$6.26

August Statement

C. N. Guild, 14 5-9 days	\$29.10
W. Guild and team, 14 5-9 days	57.47
Geo. Carleton and team, 5 days	20.00
Forrest Richardson and team, 2 days	8.00
John Guild, 9 4-9 days	16.53
Will Livingstone, 1 day	1.75
Phil Bailey, 2 days	3.50
Harry Lewis, 9 days	15.75
136 loads gravel	6.80
	—————
	\$158.90

September Statement

C. N. Guild, 1 day	\$2.00
W. Guild and team, 1 day	4.00
Henry Wood and team, 1 day	4.00
Harry Lewis, 1 day	1.75
Amos Wood, 1 day	1.75
31 loads gravel	1.55
	—————
	\$15.05

October Statement

J. H. Guild and team, 1 day	\$4.00
M. Traversy, 1 day	1.75
	—————
	\$5.75

Expended by C. N. Guild	\$573.16
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ROAD COMMISSIONERS—J. H. MANSFIELD'S ACCOUNT

March Statement

J. H. Mansfield and team, 11 2-9 days	\$47.69
E. Hooper, 10 7-9 days	18.86
M. Titcomb, 10 7-9 days	18.86
Howard Fox, 6 days	10.50
J. Bagden, 9 2-9 days	16.14
H. Titcomb, 6 2-9 days	10.89
238 loads gravel	11.90
	—————
	\$134.84

April Statement

J. H. Mansfield and team, 9 days	\$38.25
F. Mackusick and team, 9 days	36.00
E. Hooper, 8 days	14.00
Howard Fox, 9 days	15.75
M. Titcomb, 9 days	15.75
H. Titcomb, 7 days	12.25
J. Bagden, 12 1-2 days	21.88
H. Fairbanks, 4 days	7.00
316 loads gravel	15.80
	—————
	\$176.68

May Statement

J. H. Mansfield and team, 8 5-9 days	\$36.25
F. Mackusick and team, 5 5-9 days	22.22
J. Bagden, 9 days	15.75
M. Titcomb, 7 days	12.25
H. Titcomb, 6 5-9 days	11.47
Henry Titcomb, 8 days	14.00
Sam Christian, 3 days	5.25
32 loads gravel	1.60
	—————
	\$118.79

August Statement

J. H. Mansfield and 1 horse team, 4 1-2 days	\$14.04
J. Bagden, 2 days	3.50
H. Titcomb, 1-2 day . . . . .	.88
	—————
	\$18.42

October Statement

J. H. Mansfield, 1 day	\$2.00
J. H. Mansfield and team, 4 days	17.00
H. Titcomb, 5 days	8.75
J. Bagden, 5 days	8.75

	\$36.50

November Statement

J. H. Mansfield and team, 8 5-9 days	\$36.36
S. Vining, 2 5-9 days	4.47
H. Titcomb, 8 5-9 days	14.97
J. Bagden, 8 1-2 days	14.88
J. H. Mansfield and 1 horse, 1 1-2 days	4.68
J. H. Mansfield, 1 day	2.00
37 loads of gravel	1.85

	\$79.21

Expended by J. H. Mansfield \$564.44

W. H. NUTTING'S ACCOUNT

March Statement

W. H. Nutting and team, 4 days	\$17.00
W. E. Spaulding, 4 days	7.00

	\$24.00

April Statement

W. H. Nutting and team, 6 days	\$25.50
E. E. Stanyan and team, 1 day	4.00
B. F. Cutter, 2-9 day . . . . .	.50
W. E. Spaulding, 6 days	10.50

	\$40.50

May Statement

W. H. Nutting and team, 12 days	\$51.00
W. F. Marsh and team, 4 5-9 days	18.22
J. Doherty and team, 3 5-9 days .	14.22
G. Muldoon and team, 2 2-9 days	10.22
Chas. Doherty, 2 days	3.50
R. Ackerman, 2 5-9 days	4.47
W. E. Spaulding, 14 5-9 days . .	25.47
W. Sullivan, 4 5-9 days	7.97
Omar Gariepy, 3 5-9 days	6.22
E. E. Stanyan and team, 1 day . .	4.00
116 loads gravel	5.80
Spikes . . . . .	.20
	—————
	\$151.29

June Statement

W. H. Nutting and team, 7 days . .	\$29.75
T. Donovan and team, 4 days . .	16.00
E. E. Stanyon and team, 6 days	24.00
W. F. Marsh and team, 2 days . .	8.00
W. E. Spaulding, 7 days	12.25
W. Sullivan, 2 days	3.50
R. Ackerman, 5 days	8.75
C. Doherty, 6 days	10.50
P. Davis, 2 days	3.50
J. McGovern, 3 days	5.25
145 loads gravel	7.25
	—————
	\$128.75

July Statement

W. H. Nutting and team, 2 days	\$8.50
W. E. Spaulding, 2 days . . .	3.50
R. Ackerman, 1 day . . .	1.75
	—————
	\$13.75

August Statement

W. H. Nutting and team, 7 6-9 days	\$32.58
B. F. Cutter, 2 men and team, 1 day	5.75
E. Sherburne and team, 1 day . . .	4.00
E. Sherburne, 6-9 day . . .	1.16
A. Searles, 2 5-9 days . . .	4.47
J. Johnson, 3 days . . .	5.25
Geo. Bigelow, 1 day . . .	1.75
Geo. Burton, 1 day . . .	1.75
W. E. Spaulding, 7 1-9 days . . .	12.44
Harry Lewis, 1 day . . .	1.75
5 loads of gravel . . .	.25
	—————
	\$71.15

September Statement

W. H. Nutting and team, 9 5-9 days	\$40.61
W. E. Spaulding, 9 5-9 days . . .	16.72
Mr. Lavasseur, 7 4-9 days . . .	13.03
J. Kennedy, 1 day . . .	1.75
A. Searles, 4 days . . .	7.00
	—————
	\$79.11

October Statement

W. H. Nutting and team, 14 8-9 days	\$63.36
W. D. Smith and team, 13 5-9 days	54.22
W. E. Spaulding, 14 6-9 days . . .	25.66
H. Levasseur, 11 5-9 days	20.22
E. Landry, 2 days	3.50
A. Searles, 7-9 day	1.36
197 loads gravel	9.85
	—————
	\$178.17

November Statement

W. H. Nutting and team, 18 2-9 days	\$77.66
W. D. Smith and team, 5 days . . .	20.00
J. Doherty and team, 9 1-9 days . .	36.44
C. Doherty, 1 5-9 days	2.72
W. E. Spaulding, 18 1-9 days . . .	31.69
J. Kennedy, 18 1-9 days	31.69
J. Johnston, 6 days	10.50
E. Landry, 8 days	14.00
W. E. Pearson and team, 3 5-9 days	14.22
A. Jubinville, 1 day	1.75
365 loads of gravel	18.25
	—————
	\$258.92

December Statement

W. H. Nutting and team, 9 1-9 days	\$38.72
W. H. Nutting, use of plow	3.00
W. H. Nutting, 25 lbs. spikes . . . .	.90
W. H. Nutting, hauling lumber	2.00
J. Doherty and team, 1 day	4.00
W. E. Pearson and team, 1 day	4.00

T. Donovan and team, 2 days . . .	\$8.00
W. E. Spaulding, 8 6-9 days . . .	15.16
J. Kennedy, 3 days	5.25
C. Doherty, 3 days	5.25
61 loads gravel	3.05
Burnham and Davis Lumber Co., for lumber and posts	39.76

	\$129.09

January 1916 Statement

W. H. Nutting and team, 1 day . . .	\$4.25
W. E. Spaulding, 1 day	1.75

Expended by W. H. Nutting	\$6.00

Expended by W. H. Nutting	\$1,080.70
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MAINTENANCE OF PERMANENT HIGHWAYS

MAINTENANCE FUND

In town treasury March, 1915 . . .	\$171.32
Town appropriation March, 1915 . .	400.00
In state treasury March, 1915 . . .	204.59
State appropriation	400.00
Total	_____
Lowell road, C. N. Guild for dragging road in April and May	\$11.61
July and August,	6.00
Resurfacing and other repairs Oct., 1915, labor, etc.	390.94
280 loads screened gravel	14.00
Total on Lowell road	_____
	\$422.55

Mammoth road, W. F. Marsh, foreman. This road was thoroughly resurfaced during October, 1915

Pay rolls for labor during month	\$572.29
445 loads screened gravel at .05	22.25
Total on Mammoth road	\$594.54
Lawrence road, J. H. Mansfield, foreman	
Paid for labor and gravel, October, 1915	\$110.76
Total expended by town	\$1,127.85
Expended by state	\$3.34
State paid to town treasury	\$601.25
Balance of fund in town treasury	\$44.72

PERMANENT HIGHWAYS

STATE ROADS

There was a balance in State Treasury of	\$46.18
There was a balance in Town Treasury of	115.94
Amount raised to secure State aid	1,084.50
State contribution	433.60
	\$1,680.22

Town disbursements approved . . .	\$1,372.47
State disbursement	17.14
	—————
	\$1,389.61
Balance unexpended	\$290.61
In State Treasury	\$82.74
In Town Treasury	207.87
Lowell road, C. N. Guild foreman	
Labor in 1914, job fencing . . .	\$30.39
Pratt & Forrest, lumber for same	27.93
M. A. Gage, posts for same . . .	14.25
	—————
	\$72.57

*New Work on Lowell Road**Report of week ending Nov. 6, 1915*

C. N. Guild, 3 5-9 days	\$6.45
J. Guild and team, 3 2-9 days . .	12.89
E. Morris and team, 4 days . . .	16.00
M. Raymond, 3 days	5.25
W. Livingstone, 1 4-9 days . . .	2.14
J. Gerow, 3 2-9 days	5.64
L. Gerow, 3 2-9 days	5.64
B. Simpson, 3 days	5.25
W. Koehler, 1 day	1.75
W. Koehler and team, 2 2-9 days .	8.89
G. Carleton and team, 2 2-9 days .	8.89
A. Lambert and team, 1 6-9 days .	6.67
M. Traversy, 3 days	5.25
	—————
	\$90.71

Report of week ending Nov. 13

C. N. Guild, 6 days	\$12.00
J. Guild and team, 6 days	24.00
T. Morris and team, 9 6-9 days	38.67
W. Koehler and team, 6 days	24.00
G. Carleton and team, 4 days	16.00
A. Lambert and team, 4 days	16.00
B. Simpson, 5 4-9 days	9.53
M. Raymond, 2 3-9 days	4.08
J. Gerow, 6 days	10.50
L. Gerow, 6 days	10.50
M. Traversy, 4 6-9 days	8.17
E. Richardson, 6 days	10.50
E. Cameron, 5 days	8.75

	\$192.70

Report of week ending Nov. 20

C. N. Guild, 4 5-9 days	\$9.11
J. H. Guild and team, 4 5-9 days	18.22
E. Morris and team, 5 5-9 days	22.22
W. Koehler and team, 4 5-9 days	18.22
G. Carleton and team, 2 5-9 days	10.22
H. Currier and team, 4 5-9 days	18.22
J. Carr and team and man, 2 1-9 days	8.33
E. Cameron, 2 days	3.50
M. Traversy, 4 5-9 days	7.97
M. Raymond, 4 5-9 days	7.97
J. Gerow, 4 5-9 days	7.97
L. Gerow, 4 5-9 days	7.97
J. Pilsner, 2 5-9 days	4.47

	\$144.39

Report of week ending Nov. 27

C. N. Guild, 6 days	\$12.00
J. Guild and team, 5 days	20.00
G. Carleton and team, 5 days	20.00
H. Currier and team, 6 days	24.00
E. Morris and team, 9 1-9 days	36.44
H. Kohler and team, 6 days	24.00
E. Landry and team, 6 days	24.00
J. Gerow, 6 days	10.50
L. Gerow, 6 days	10.50
B. Simpson, 5 days	8.75
M. Traversy, 6 days	10.50
J. Carr's man 5 days	8.75
M. Raymond, 4 days	7.00
J. Jingras, 6 days	10.50
H. Lewis, 4 days	7.00
	—————
	\$233.94

Report of week ending Dec. 4

C. N. Guild, 3 1-2 days	\$7.00
J. Guild and team, 3 1-2 days	14.00
W. Koehler and team, 1-2 day	2.00
E. Landry and team, 3 1-2 days	14.00
L. Gerow, 2 1-2 days	4.37
B. Simpson, 1 day	1.75
M. Traversy, 1-2 day . . . . .	.87
J. Jingras, 3 1-2 days	6.12
	—————
	\$50.11

Gravel used on job

F. A. Greeley, 395 loads at .05	\$19.75
F. M. Woodbury, 338 loads at .05	16.90

F. A. Lane, 7 loads at .05 . . . . .	.35	

Sharpening picks	\$1.10	\$37.00

H. H. Atwood, $\frac{1}{2}$ doz. shovels 3.50

STATE ROAD
MAMMOTH ROAD

W. F. Marsh, foreman

Report of week ending Nov. 6, 1915

W. F. Marsh and team, 2 5-9 days	\$10.86	
T. Donovan and team, 2 5-9 days	10.22	
H. Chase and team, 2 5-9 days	10.22	
A. Paquette, 2 6-9 days	5.33	
G. Bigelow, 2 5-9 days	4.47	
C. Doherty, 2 5-9 days	4.47	
H. Wright, 1 5-9 days	2.72	
P. Ganyon, 1 5-9 days	2.72	
H. Gerow, 1 day	1.75	

		\$52.76

Report of week ending Nov. 13

W. F. Marsh and team, 6 days	\$25.50	
T. Donovan and team, 6 days	24.00	
H. Chase and team, 3 days	12.00	
B. Cutter and team, 3 days	12.00	
A. Paquette, 6 days	12.00	
C. Doherty, 6 days	10.50	
H. Wright, 6 days	10.50	
H. Gerow, 6 days	10.50	
Geo. Bigelow, 2 days	3.50	

		\$120.50

Report of week ending Nov. 20

W. F. Marsh and team, 4 5-9 days	\$19.36
T. Donovan and team, 4 5-9 days	18.22
B. Cutter, 4 5-9 days	18.22
G. Bigelow, 3 5-9 days	6.22
A. Paquette, 4 5-9 days	9.11
C. Doherty, 4 5-9 days	7.97
H. Wright, 2 days	3.50
H. Gerow, 2 5-9 days	4.47

	\$87.07

Report for week ending Nov. 27

W. F. Marsh and team, 4 days . .	\$17.00
T. Donovan, 4 days	16.00
H. Chase, 3 days	12.00
B. Cutter, 1 5-9 days	6.22
A. Paquette, 4 days	8.00
G. Bigelow, 4 days	7.00
H. Wright, 4 days	7.00
H. Gerow, 4 days	7.00

	\$80.22
F. Morneau, dynamite and labor, blasting near School House . .	\$26.50

	\$106.72

Report of week ending Dec. 4

W. F. Marsh and team, 5 5-9 days	\$23.60
T. Donovan, 1 day	4.00
H. Chase, 5 5-9 days	22.22

G. Carleton, 5 3-9 days	\$21.33
B. Cutter, 4 4-9 days	17.77
A. Paquette, 5 5-9 days	11.10
G. Bigelow, 5 5-9 days	9.72
H. Lewis, 5 5-9 days	9.72
H. Gerow, 5 5-9 days	9.72
L. Gerow, 4 days	7.00
H. Wright, 5-9 day . . . . .	.97
	—————
	\$137.15
Gravel used on job	
F. Stys, 375 loads at .05	\$18.75
Jones Bros., 62 loads at .05	3.10
G. Bigelow, 8 loads at .05 . . . . .	.40
	—————
	\$22.25
Paid C. W. Hobbs for supervision on State Road, making pay rolls and paying off	\$20.00
Town expenditures of joint fund	\$1,372.47

RECAPITULATION

Pay of Town Officers	\$536.00
Memorial day	7.00
School money	4,210.20
Moth account	2.52
Public library	261.15
County aid	79.26
Interest	131.37
State Tax	1,280.00
County Tax	904.41
Fire account	142.23

Discount on taxes	\$81.42
Abatements	47.08
Bridges, snow and repairs	34.97
Miscellaneous	143.35
Highways east side	1,137.60
Highways west side	1,080.73
State Roads and maintenance	2,488.30
	—————
	\$12,567.59

FINANCIAL STANDING OF TOWN
FEB. 15, 1916

Liabilities

Cemetery trust-fund notes	\$2,842.50
Shufelt Cemetery Fund . . . . .	.500.00
Literary Fund	126.10
Dog Fund	322.70
Proportion of School Fund (State)	542.20
	—————
	\$4,333.50

Assets

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1916 . . .	\$3,710.88
Uncollected Taxes	2,148.99
	—————
	\$5,859.87
Balance in favor of town Feb. 15, 1916	\$1,526.37
Balance in favor of town Feb. 15, 1915	1,674.60

Respectfully submitted

CHARLES W. HOBBS,
WILLIAM D. SMITH,
FORREST A. RICHARDSON.

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Town Treasurer respectfully submits the following report for the year ending February 15, 1916.

Dr.

Cash in treasury	\$3 ,810.57
Received of Collector balance of	
1914 tax	1,966.73
For interest	30.00
Harry H. Atwood, Town Clerk, for	
Dog licenses	325.30
From County of Hillsborough	86.26
Of State Engineer, State Highway appropriation	379.90
Of Selectmen, F. A. Cutter Fund	50.00
Of Selectmen, B. F. Richardson Fund	100.00
Of State Treasurer, R. R. Tax	388.80
Of State Treasurer, Literary Fund	126.10
Of State Treasurer, Savings Bank Tax	128.27
Of State Treasurer, Proportion of School Fund	542.20
Of State Treasurer, Forest Fire Bill	22.25
Of State Treasurer, Maintenance of State Roads	601.25
Of D. G. B. Burns, Collector of 1915 tax	7 ,720.84
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	\$16 ,278.47

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By Cash paid 87 orders issued by	
Selectmen	\$12 ,567 .59
Leaving a balance in Treasury	\$3 ,710 .88

CASH IN TREASURY

Literary fund	\$126 .10
Dog fund	325 .30
Proportion of school fund	542 .20
Shufelt Cemetery fund	500 .00
General fund	2 ,217 .28
	—————
Amount of uncollected taxes for 1915	\$3 ,710 .88
	—————
	\$2 ,148 .99
	—————
	\$5 ,859 .87

FRED A. GREELEY,
Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Pelham, for the year ending February 15, 1916, have examined the books of the Selectmen, Treasurer and Collector, and find that the Selectmen have issued orders on the Treasurer to the amount of \$12,567.59 and said orders were properly received, and we also find that the Treasurer has received \$16,278.47 and has paid the above mentioned orders, leaving a balance in the treasury, February 15, 1916, of \$3,710.88, and we also find that the Collector has \$2,148.99 to collect.

DANIEL P. ATWOOD,
SHERMAN HOBBS,

Auditors.

TRUSTEES OF CEMETERIES

TREASURERS' REPORT

The Treasurer of the Trustees respectfully submits the following report for the year ending February 15, 1916.

Receipts

1915

Feb. 15,	Cash on hand.	.. .	\$127.31
May 1,	Received of Mrs. Gran-		
	ville Coburn and F. B. Foss		
	for a lot in Gibson Addition	20.00	
Aug. 25,	Received of Clarence W.		
	Richardson for a lot in Gib-		
	son Addition .. .	2.00	
Nov. 19,	Received of Mrs. Henry A.		
	Jones for a lot in Gibson		
	Addition	2.00	

			\$151.31
			23.90

	Balance on hand Feb. 15, 1916	.. .	\$127.41

Expenditures

1915

May 22,	Paid Geo. T. Kent for		
	cutting bushes in Atwood		
	Cemetery	\$3.20	

May 22, Iron pump and pipe for the well in Cemetery	\$3.20
May 22, Plank and setting pump	1.00
Sept. 25, Paid Geo. P. Wood for cutting over and removing grass, bushes, etc., in Centre Cemetery	9.00
Nov. 9, Paid Frederick Greeley for cutting bushes in Gumpus Cemetery	3.50
Nov. 15, Paid Daniel M. Webster for labor in N. Pelham Cem- etery	3.00
Nov. 20, Paid Geo. P. Wood for cutting bushes in N. W. sec- tion of Gibson Addition . . .	1.00
Amount paid out to Feb. 15, 1916	\$23.90

TRUST FUNDS

These funds are left in trust to the Town of Pelham, the income of which is to be applied to the perpetual care of the lots named and by vote of the Town the Trustees loan the money to the Town at 4 per cent interest annually and the Trustees hold the notes of the Town for the same.

February 15, 1916

Amount of funds received	\$2,842.50
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Account of the Funds

Solomon Barker Fund, \$100.00		
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	17.00	
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00	
	—————	
		\$21.00
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .		3.50
	—————	
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended		\$17.50
Skinner Frost Fund, \$50.00		
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$1.75	
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	2.00	
	—————	
		\$3.75
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .		2.00
	—————	
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended		\$1.75
Jackson Fund for care of John Carr lot, \$50.00		
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$1.50	
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	2.00	
	—————	
		\$3.50
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .		2.00
	—————	
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended		\$1.50
S. A. Gorrell Fund, \$95.00		
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$6.53	
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	3.80	
	—————	
		\$10.33
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .		2.50
	—————	
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended		\$7.83

Chas. L. Seavey Fund, \$100.00	
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$23.08
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	2.50

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$24.58
Betsy G. Spear Fund, \$150.00	
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$24.25
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	6.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out for labor and flowers	6.00

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$24.25
Calvin Boardman Fund, \$50.00	
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$2.25
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	2.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	2.00

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$2.25
Reuben Griffin Fund, \$50.00	
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$1.67
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	2.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	1.50

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	2.17

James M. Hobbs Fund, \$50.00		
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$2.17	
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	2.00	
	—————	
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	2.00	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended		\$2.17
Mark H. Webster Fund, \$50.00 -		
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	.75	
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	2.00	
	—————	
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	2.00	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended . . .		\$.75
Stickney and Spofford Fund, \$100.00		
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$8.00	
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00	
	—————	
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	2.00	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended		\$10.00
Isaac Buttrick Fund, \$100.00		
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$4.12	
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00	
	—————	
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	3.50	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended		\$4.62

M. J. Marsh Fund for care of John Marsh lot, \$100.00	
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$8.25
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	3.00

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$9.25
Elizabeth Swan Fund for care of Asa Stickney lot, \$100.00	
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$8.33
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	1.50

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$10.83
E. C. Gage and Sybil C. Gage Fund for care of Jos. Gage lot, \$100.00	
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$5.33
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	2.00

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$7.33
D. G. and J. F. Tyler Fund for care of J. M. Tyler lot, \$100.00	
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$4.00
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	3.00

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$5.00

Chas. F. Tyler Fund, for care of Joseph Tyler lot, \$100.00	
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$4.00
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	\$8.00
	3.00

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$5.00
Daniel T. Gage Fund, \$47.50	
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$.40
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	1.90

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	\$2.30
	1.50

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$.80
C. Coburn Fund for care of Jephtha Coburn lot in Coburn-Lyon Cem- etary, \$100.00	
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$7.75
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	\$11.75
	2.50

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended Wyman Fund, for care of Wyman- Tyler lot, \$100.00	\$9.25
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$.30
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	\$4.30
	1.00

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$3.30

Mrs. G. A. Shufelt Fund, for care of
the Shufelt lot in Gibson Addition,
\$100.00

Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$9.50
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00
	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	2.00
	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$11.50

Mrs. J. R. Bayley Fund, for care of
Bayley lot in Gibson Addition,
\$100.00

Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$8.50
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00
	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	1.50
	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$11.00

Runnel's and Harlon Fund, for care
of Moses Runnel's lot in N. Pel-
ham Cemetery, \$100.00

Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$7.83
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	4.00
	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	3.00
	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$8.83

Marshall Fund, for care of Daniel Marshall lot in N. Pelham Cemetery, \$100.00

Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand	\$15.75
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest	4.00
	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out	3.00
	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$16.75

Jennie E. Aldrich Fund, for care of Charles Wheeler lot, \$100.00

Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand	\$.45
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest	4.00
	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out	2.50
	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$1.95

Mary Gibson and E. E. Mitchell Fund, for care of A. A. Currier and G. E. Mitchell lot, \$100.00

Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand	\$.45
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest	4.00
	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out	2.50
	—————
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$1.95

Mary E. Bayley Fund, for care of Abner Kittredge lot, \$50.00

Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand	\$1.33
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Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	\$2.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	\$3.33

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	1.50

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$1.83
Ida Johnson Fund for care of	
Webster-Johnson lot, \$150.00 . . .	
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand . . .	\$2.00
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	6.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	\$8.00

Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	2.00

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$6.00
A. S. Gage Fund for care of Seth	
Gage lot, \$100.00	
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	\$4.00
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	2.00

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended . .	\$2.00
Mrs. Mary Marsh Fund for care of	
J. N. Woodman lot, \$100.00.	
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	\$4.00
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	2.50

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended . .	\$1.50
Arthur Cutter Fund for care of F.	
A. Cutter lot in Gibson Addition	
\$50.00.	
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest . . .	\$1.67
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out . . .	1.00

Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended . .	\$.67

Mrs. B. F. Richardson Fund for care of B. F. Richardson lot	\$100.00
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest	\$2.00
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid out	1.00
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$1.00
Shufelt Cemetery Trust Fund \$500.00.	
Feb. 15, 1915, cash on hand	\$87.50
Feb. 15, 1916, received interest	20.00
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid for new gates	\$107.50
Feb. 15, 1916, cash paid for new gates	35.00
Feb. 15, 1916, leaving unexpended	\$72.50

GEORGE P. WOOD,
Treasurer of Trustees.

DOG LICENSES

Total number of dogs licensed, 141.

24 females at \$5.00 each	\$120.00
3 Spa. females at \$2.00 each	6.00
113 males at \$2.00 each	226.00
1 male (9 months)	1.50
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Total receipts	\$353.50
141 fees at 20 cents each	28.20
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Balance paid Town Treasurer	\$325.30

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY H. ATWOOD,
Town Clerk.

DOGS LICENSED IN THE TOWN OF PELHAM,
FOR THE YEAR ENDING
APRIL 30, 1915.

Atwood, D. P.	. . . . .	1 m.	Ducharme A.	. . . . .	1 m.
Atwood, H. H.	. . . . .	1 m.	Day, B. C.	. . . . .	1 m.
Atwood, J. M.	. . . . .	1 m.	Davis, E. H.	. . . . .	1 f., 1 m.
Ackerman, T. R.	. . . . .	1 m.	Donovan, T. H.	. . . . .	2 m.
			Doherty, J.	. . . . .	2 m.
Bourgeois, A.	. . . . .	1 m.	Ducharme, E.	. . . . .	2 m.
Blackman, R. A.	. . . . .	1 m.	Dutton, W. W.	. . . . .	1 m.
Bergeron, A.	. . . . .	1 m.	Dalphond, J.	. . . . .	1 m.
Brown, A. E.	. . . . .	1 m.			
Burton, F. A.	. . . . .	1 m.	Ellenwood, W. S.	. . . . .	1 m.
Butler, R. D.	. . . . .	1 m.			
Butterfield, E. E.	. . . . .	1 m.	Fairbanks, H. N.	. . . . .	1 s.f.
Bedard, C.	. . . . .	1 m.	Frost, H. S.	. . . . .	1 f., 1 m.
Borneau A. (March 1915)	1 m.		Fox, G. A.	. . . . .	1 m.
Bigelow, E. Q.	. . . . .	1 m.			
			Gariepy, J.	. . . . .	1 m.
Calvert M.	. . . . .	2 m.	Giles, I. M.	. . . . .	1 f.
Chase, A. C.	. . . . .	1 m.	Goodwin, C. A.	. . . . .	1 m.
Chase, H. H.	. . . . .	1 f., 1 m.	Greenough, H. S.	. . . . .	1 m.
Carleton, F. M.	. . . . .	1 m.	Guild, C. N.	. . . . .	1 m.
Carleton, G. J.	. . . . .	2 m.	Greeley, F. A.	. . . . .	1 s.f.
Carleton, Alice	. . . . .	1 m.			
Colman, C. H.	. . . . .	1 m.	Hardy, A. L.	. . . . .	1 f.
Coleman, J.	. . . . .	1 m.	Hirsch, L. A. O.	. . . . .	1 m.
Currier, H. M.	. . . . .	1 m.	Hills, R. M.	. . . . .	1 m.
Colburn, C. W.	. . . . .	1 m.	Henderson, Wm.	. . . . .	1 m.
Cutter, B. F.	. . . . .	1 m.	Hobbs, C. W.	. . . . .	1 m.
Corson, F.	. . . . .	1 m.	Hobbs, Sherman.	. . . . .	1 m.

Hubley, D. E.	. . .	1 m.	Morrison, J.	. . .	1 f., 1 m.
Hyde, Vera	. . .	1 m.	Morrison J. (March 1915)		
					1 f., 1 m.
Jeannotte, J. D.	. . .	1 m.			
Jones, A. H.	. . .	1 m.	Noyes, G. F.	. . .	1 m.
Jones, M. H.	. . .	1 f., 1 s. f.	Nutting, E. E.	. . .	1 m.
Johnson, G. F.	. . .	1 m.	Nutting, W. H.	. . .	1 m.
			Noonan B.	. . .	1 m.
Kendrick, E. F.	. . .	1 f.			
Kendrick, E. R.	. . .	1 m.	Palmer, A. E.	. . .	1 m.
Koehler, Wm.	. . .	1 m.	Peabody, J. W.	. . .	1 m.
Katze, S.	. . .	1 m.	Peabody, W. H.	. . .	1 m.
			Peacock, M. C.	. . .	1 m.
Lewis, A. W.	. . .	1 f.	Pearson, W. E.	. . .	1 m.
Lewis, L. J.	. . .	1 m.	Piper, C. S.	. . .	1 f.
Lewis, T., Mrs.	. . .	1 m.	Proulx, A. E.	. . .	1 f., 1 m.
Lewis, H. E.	. . .	2 m.			
Lane, F. H.	. . .	1 m.	Quigley, J.	. . .	1 m.
Lambert, A.	. . .	1 m.	Quigley, P.	. . .	1 m.
Lyon, F. W.	. . .	1 m.			
Lewis, B. A.	. . .	1 f.	Raymond, M.	. . .	1 m.
Leblanc, A.	. . .	1 m.	Raymond, E. G.	. . .	1 f.
Ledoux, E. (\$1.50)	. . .	1 m.	Raymond, R. M.	. . .	1 m.
Lary, A. R.	. . .	1 f.	Reismann, O.	. . .	1 m.
Livingstone, M.	. . .	1 f.	Ross, P.	. . .	1 m.
			Robinson, J.	. . .	1 m.
Marshall, E. C.	. . .	1 m.	Richardson, C. C.	. . .	1 m.
Mansfield, C. M.	. . .	1 m.	Richardson, S. A.	. . .	1 m.
Marsh, W. F.	. . .	1 m.	Richardson, W. F.	. . .	1 f., 1 m.
McCann, S. S.	. . .	1 m.	Richardson, J. H.	. . .	1 m.
Muldoon, G. M.	. . .	1 m.			
Morneau, A.	. . .	1 m.	Sherbourne, W. G.	. . .	1 m.

Searles, G. F.	. . . . .	1 m.	Tillotson, F. S.	. . . . .	1 m.
Simpson, D. E.	. . . . .	1 f., 1 m.	Titecomb, Wm.	. . . . .	1 f.
Simpson, A. G.	. . . . .	1 m.	Tulley, J. F.	. . . . .	1 m.
Schmidt, O.	. . . . .	1 f.			
Stanyan, E. E.	. . . . .	1 m.	Wilson, O.	. . . . .	1 m.
Smith, W. D.	. . . . .	1 m.	Wilson, A. J.	. . . . .	1 m.
Smith, Jos.	. . . . .	1 m.	Wood, H. A.	. . . . .	1 m.
Snow, R. D.	. . . . .	1 m.	Woodbury, F. M.	. . . . .	1 m.
Stys, F.	. . . . .	1 m.	Wells, E. J.	. . . . .	1 f.
Tallant, A. K.	. . . . .	1 m.	Wardman	. . . . .	1 f.
Titecomb, O. E. (keeper)	. . . . .	1 f.	Wardman, (March 1915)	. . . . .	1 f.
			Young, E. L.	. . . . .	1 m.

PUBLIC LIBRARY

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Trustees of the Pelham Library

The following report is respectfully submitted.

Number of volumes in the library	4,429
Number acquired during the year, by gift	117
Number acquired during the year, by purchase	30
Circulation of books for the year	4,307
Largest circulation for one month, Jan.	442
Smallest circulation for one month, Sept.	302
Average circulation per month	358
Number of cards issued since March, 1915	32
Amount received in fines	\$3.38

The library received as gifts 45 volumes of new books from the late George C. Cloyd. The Standard Dictionary of Facts from Miss M. A. Cloyd, 68 volumes from the library of Mrs. Mary C. Berry, also volumes from Otis A. Gage and Mrs. Jane Proctor of Nashua, N. H.

MARY E. HOBBS,
Librarian.

TRUSTEES' REPORT

A steady though slight increase in circulation during the past year shows that the interest is increasing and that the slight cost is appreciated by the people. In fact, the Library is the only thing we have which all the people can enjoy. Our roads are for those who have business to travel over them, our schools are for those who attend them, but the Library is for all and the more it is used the better it is for all, both old and young. The shelf room is becoming crowded and we think an increase in the appropriation should be made for the purpose of securing more shelf room.

During the past year a large number of books from the library of the late Mrs. Mary C. Berry were donated by her family. A fine collection was also presented by Miss M. A. Cloyd in memory of and by the request of her brother, the late George C. Cloyd, who always had a great interest in the Public Library. Our thanks are extended for these donations and also to others who have kindly given papers and magazines and other reading matter for the Reading room tables.

CHARLES W. HOBBS,
SHEFFIELD H. LYON,

Trustees.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Dr.

To cash in Treasury Feb. 15, 1915	\$124.85
Received Town appropriation	150.00
Fines	3.38
	—————
	\$278.23

Cr.

Paid for Pictures	\$1.00
Courier Pub. Co. Supplies	2.59
De Wolfe Fiske Co., Books	27.04
C. A. Richardson for History	3.00
C. W. Hobbs, cash paid for car fare, express, etc., 1912-1913-	
1914 and 1915, to Feb. 15, 1916	17.38
Mary E. Hobbs, Salary	65.00
H. H. Atwood, Supplies	1.02
	—————
	\$117.03
Cash in Treasury Feb. 15, 1916	\$161.20

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. HOBBS,
Treas. Library Trustees.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL BOARD

OF THE

Town of Pelham, N. H.

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING MARCH, 1916

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

Susan M. Smith	Term expires March, 1916
Henry M. Currier	Term expires March, 1917
Jennie K. Sherburne	Term expires March, 1918

Clerk

Otis A. Gage

Treasurer

Charles W. Hobbs

Auditors

Sheffield H. Lyon	Frank H. Hillman	Harry T. Atwood
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Truant Officer

Harold S. Frost

TEACHERS

No. 1	Clara E. Howe, year Edna M. Livingstone, assistant, 9 weeks
No. 2	Cora L. Carleton, six weeks Spring term Mrs. Clara Jack, six weeks Spring term Helen L. Duffy, Fall and Winter
No. 3	Mary F. Wallace, three weeks Spring term Ida F. Cummings, nine weeks Spring term Katherine E. Boddy, Fall and Winter
No. 4	Mrs. Elizabeth R. Kendrick, year
No. 5	Mrs. Beatrice Chase, two weeks Spring term Mrs. Clara Jack, one week Spring term Celia B. Wood, rest of the year
Grades 7 and 8	Bertha Stewart, three weeks Spring term Mary F. Wallace, rest of the year

TOWN DISTRICT SCHOOL WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

HILLSBOROUGH, SS.

To the inhabitants of the Town School District of the Town of Pelham, qualified to vote in District affairs: You are hereby notified to meet at the Pilgrim Hall in said District on Saturday, the eighteenth day of March, 1916, at half past one o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To hear reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or officers chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
7. To see how much money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of schools.
8. To see how much money the District will raise and appropriate for the tuition of pupils attending High Schools or Academies.
9. To see how much money the District will raise and appropriate for text-books and supplies for the ensuing year.
10. To see how much money the District will raise and appropriate for the repair of schoolhouses for the ensuing year.
11. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer or Officers and District Clerk and all other District Officers.

12. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to contract with the Nashua High School, or some other equal grade, to furnish instruction to its scholars for the ensuing year.

13. To see how much money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for its seventh and eighth grade school.

14. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Pelham this day of February, 1916.

HENRY M. CURRIER,
JENNIE K. SHERBURNE
SUSAN M. SMITH

School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HENRY M. CURRIER
JENNIE K. SHERBURNE
SUSAN M. SMITH

School Board.

ROLL OF HONOR

According to the Registers

Ruth Mann, Elizabeth Atwood, Marion Atwood, Marjorie Atwood, Beatrice Ducharme, Loretta Ducharme, Lucienne Ducharme, Rose Alma Gendreau, Eveline Gendreau, Irene Greenwood, Elsie Lewis, Ethel Morris, Vivian Richardson, Gertrude Tillotson, Anna Bolton, William D. Bolton, Bertrand F. Bolton, Chester W. Spaulding, Frederick Gariepy, Beatrice Gariepy, Frank Foisie, Nelson Foisie, Amadose Greenwood, George Frank Currier (year) John Wood, Helen Wood, Stuart A. Richardson (year), Alice A. Davis, Helen Jones, Anna Christian, Abbie Mann, Julia Tillotson.

The graded school, Grades 7 and 8 is still in session.

Carl Hirsch, Frank Koehler, Chester Morris, Anna Burton, Viola Burton, Helen Wood, one term each.

STATISTICS

The school year in five of the schools was 34 weeks. In grades 7 and 8, 35 weeks.

School No. 1—First term, 35 scholars; second, 40; third, 42; year, 42. Average attendance, 35.

School No. 2—First term, 25 scholars; second, 22; third, 21; year, 28. Average attendance, 21.

School No. 3—First term, 28 scholars; second, 30; third, 28; year, 34. Average attendance, 20.

School No. 4—First term, 28 scholars; second, 28; third, 26; year, 31. Average attendance, 23.

School No. 5—First term, 14 scholars; second, 15; third, 10; year, 15. Average attendance, 8.

Grades 7 and 8—First term, 32 scholars; second, 30; third, 29; year, 33. Average attendance, 29.

The number of different scholars who have attended the schools of the town during the year is 183.

The amount expended for teachers and the miscellaneous expenses for all the schools is \$2,570.09.

This does not include the book-account, repair bill, tuition for scholars in High School or salaries.

The book account is \$179.38.

Expense per scholar for teaching and miscellaneous expenses is \$14.04+.

Expense per scholar for book supply is 98 cents+.

SUSAN M. SMITH,

For the School Board.

EXPENSES OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

As rendered by the Secretary, March 1, 1916

NO. 1 SCHOOL

Paid Clara E. Howe, 34 weeks at \$10.00	\$340.00
Edna M. Livingstone, 9 weeks at \$4.00	36.00
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Miscellaneous expenses	49.05
Total expense No. 1 School	\$425.05

NO. 2 SCHOOL

Paid Cora L. Carleton	\$56.00
May Sherburne	2.00
Clara Jack	60.00
Helen L. Duffy	198.00
	—————
Miscellaneous expenses	22.20
	—————
Total expense No. 2 School	\$338.20

NO. 3 SCHOOL

Paid Mary F. Wallace, Spring, 3 weeks at \$10.00	\$30.00
Ida F. Cummings, Spring, 9 weeks at \$10.00	90.00
Katherine G. Boddy, Fall and	

Winter	\$218.00
Cora L. Carleton	2.00
	—————
	\$340.00
Miscellaneous expenses	38.15
	—————
Total expense No. 3 School	\$378.15

NO. 4 SCHOOL

Paid Elizabeth R. Kendrick, 34 weeks at \$10.00	\$340.00
Miscellaneous expenses	43.95
	—————
Total expense No. 4 School	\$383.95

NO. 5 SCHOOL

Paid Beatrice Chase, Spring term	\$20.00
Clara Jack, Spring term	10.00
Celia B. Wood, 31 weeks	310.00
	—————
	\$340.00
Miscellaneous expenses	28.20
	—————
Total expense No. 5 School	\$368.20

GRADES 7 AND 8

Paid Bertha M. Stewart, Spring term	\$39.00
Mary F. Wallace, Spring term	99.00
Mary F. Wallace, Fall and	
Winter	299.00
	—————
	\$437.00

May Sherburne substituted four days	
Miscellaneous expenses including rent of rooms	126.14
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Total expenses Grades 7 and 8 . . .	\$563.14

NO. 6 SCHOOL

Paid Fred A. Burton conveying children from old No. 6 to No. 2 \$113.40

TUITION OF PUPILS

Paid James H. Fassett, Superintendent, for the tuition of the following pupils at Nashua High School for the year ending June, 1915.

Frank H. Lewis, one year . . .	\$57.00
Teresa F. Quigley, one year . . .	57.00
Edna M. Livingstone, one year . . .	57.00
Grace L. Davis, one year . . .	57.00
Elsa Schmidt, one year . . .	57.00
Frederick A. Greeley, one year . . .	57.00
Ralph Hillman, one year . . .	57.00
Annie Doherty, one year . . .	57.00
Emily Dierig, one year . . .	57.00
Hazel Richardson, one year . . .	57.00
Walter Wood, one year . . .	57.00
Marion Wilson, one year . . .	57.00
Ernest Bigelow, one year . . .	57.00
Fred R. Tillotson, one year . . .	57.00

Mary A. Lyon, one year . . .	\$57.00
Lilian E. Mann, one year . . .	57.00
Cecelia F. Cutter, one year . . .	57.00
Elbridge Hewes, 12 weeks . . .	18.00
	—————
	\$987.00
Paid F. J. Shepard for Pinkerton Academy, Derry, N. H.	
Paul E. Greeley, 3 terms . . .	\$40.00
	—————
Total for High School and Academy	\$1,027.00
Repair bill	\$27.55
Book account	179.38
Salaries	120.00

RECAPITULATION

Paid teachers No. 1 School	\$376.00
Miscellaneous expenses	49.05
	—————
	\$425.05
Teachers No. 2 School	\$316.00
Miscellaneous expenses	22.20
	—————
	\$338.20
Teachers No. 3 School	\$340.00
Miscellaneous expenses	38.15
	—————
	\$378.15
Teacher No. 4 School	\$340.00
Miscellaneous expenses	43.95
	—————
	\$383.95
Teachers No. 5 School	\$340.00
Miscellaneous expenses	28.20
	—————
	\$368.20

Paid Teachers grades 7 and 8	\$437.00
Miscellaneous expenses and rent	126.14
	—————
Paid Mr. Burton	\$563.14
For tuitions	\$113.40
Repair Bill	\$1,027.00
Book account	27.55
Salaries	179.38
	120.00
	—————
	\$3,924.02
Total expense for year ending March 1916, is	\$3,924.02

SUSAN M. SMITH,
For the School Board.

ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 1917

Required by law	\$1,200.00
Text books	175.00
Tuitions	2,000.00
Repairs	100.00
Transportation	115.00
Salaries	150.00
	—————
	\$3,740.00

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Dr.	GENERAL FUND
Received, cash in treasury, March,	
1915	\$1,250.67
of Selectmen, Literary Fund of	
1914	127.38
of Selectmen, Dog Fund of 1914	264.84
of Selectmen, Proportion of	
School Fund of 1914	517.98
of Selectmen, amount required	
by law	1,200.00
of Selectmen, District appropri-	
ation, tuition, etc.	1,000.00
of Selectmen, District appropri-	
ation for repairs	100.00
of Selectmen, District appropri-	
ation for salaries	150.00
of Selectmen, District appropri-	
ation for Graded School . . .	650.00
	—————
	\$5,260.87

Cr.

Paid 87 orders issued by School Board	\$3,744.64
Leaving a balance in treasury of General Fund	\$1,516.23

BOOK FUND

Dr.

Received cash in treasury March, 1915	\$5.85
of Selectmen District appropri- ation of 1915	200.00
of H. M. Currier rebate on books	1.59

	\$207.44

Cr.

Paid 4 orders issued by School Board	\$179.38
Leaving a balance of Book Fund in treasury	\$28.06
Cash in Treasury March 1, 1916	
General Fund	\$1,516.23
Book Fund	28.06

	\$1,544.29

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. HOBBS,
School District Treasurer.

Pelham, N. H., Feb. 28, 1916

We the undersigned Auditors of the Town School District have examined the accounts of the School Board and Treasurer for the year ending March 1, 1916, and find them accurately kept and properly vouched, and said board have issued orders to the amount of \$3,924.02 and that the Treasurer of the school district has received \$5,468.31 and has paid the above mentioned orders leaving a balance in the treasury of \$1,544.29, which includes the book fund of \$28.06.

S. H. LYON,
S. H. HILLMAN,
HARRY H. ATWOOD,
Auditors.

Vital Statistics

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PELHAM, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1915

Date of Birth	Christian Name of Child, (if any)	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Birthplace of Father
Feb. 21	Gertrude L. Currier...	F	W Richard H. Currier...	Serena A. Stickney...	Pelham....	Pelham.....
Mar.	3 Clifton Earl Fairbanks	M	3 Harry N. Fairbanks...	Lottie B. Fox.....	" Quarryman...	Methuen, Mass...
"	7 Hazel M. Spaulding...	F	4 Willis E. Spaulding...	Nettie G. Butler.....	" Farmer.....	Lawrence, Mass...
"	30 Fannie Finman	"	5 Samuel Finman...	Polly Midkoch.....	" Butcher.....	Russia
Apr. 20	Rena Mary Sleeper...	"	4 Frank W. Sleeper...	Louise Salvas.....	" Painter.....	Pelham.....
May 11	Abigail Sevina Bolton	"	4 William J. Bolton...	May Bella Hutchinson	" Fireman	Nashua, N. H.
June 6	Elizabeth C. Christian	"	7 Samuel Christian...	Agnes Leptire.....	" Loom Setter.....	Nova Scotia
"	10 William L. Davis*	M	12 Edward H. Davis...	Lillie M. Tibbets.....	" Farmer	Sutton, Mass...
"	"	"	13 Edward H. Davis...	"	"	Glenburn, Me.....
"	19 Everett C. Raymond...	F	2 John L. Raymond...	Lillie M. Tibbets.....	"	Corinth, Me.....
"	29 Leonel Beauchene	M	2 Norbert Beauchene...	Marion E. Hutchinson	" Shoeshop	Pelham
July 21	Edmond Jingras	"	6 Edmond Jingras	Demarais Gosselin	" Laborer	Newmarket, N. H.
"	29 Allen Wright Wells	"	9 Edward J. Wells.....	Evelyn St. Ongé	" Farmer	Canada
Aug. 4	Nellie T. Coleman	F	2 Charles A. Coleman...	Lulu B. Wright	" Cashier	W. Lebanon, N. H.
"	Eleanor B. Simpson	"	1 Ida B. Alexander...	Esther E. Keyes	" Shoemaker	Salem, N. H.....
"	31 Gertrude C. Mansur...	"	1 " Edward Simpson	Ida B. Alexander...	" Dracut	Cherokee, La
Sept. 3	Lena Rosa Goodwin	"	7 Norman L. Mansur...	Christinia M. Ferguson	" Conductor	Pelham
"	5 Alice Dorothy Landry	"	5 Walter A. Goodwin...	Rose H. Salvias	" Carpenter	Nova Scotia
"	17 Albert Russell Harris	M	3 Joseph E. Landry...	Victoria Lerasseur	" Farmer	"
Oct. 4	Alice Rita Greenwood	F	4 Henry G. Harris	Agnes Tischler	" Motorman	Lowell, Mass.
"	6 Gladys Viola Miller	"	2 Oscar L. Miller	Blanche F. Peltier	" Quebec	Pelham
Nov. 23	Francois Boisvert...	M	2 Joseph Boisvert	Gladys N. Mackusick	" Franklin, N. H.	Wilmington, Mass.
Dec. 19	Bernard L. Hadley	"	3 Alma Nudd	Alma Stone Cutter	" Labourer	Canada
	"	"	3 Sadie P. Nudd	Sadie P. Nudd	" Labourer	Stoneham, Mass..

*Twins

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PELHAM, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1915

Date 1915	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age of each	Occupation	Place of Birth	Names of Parents	No. of Marriages	By Whom Married
Feb. 20	Pelham...	Charles H. Jack... Clara C. Cutter....	Pelham... ".....	33 24	Instructor... Grad. Nurse...	Manchester... Pelham....	Charles F. Jack... Susan B. Underhill... Fred A. Cutter... Susan M. Hardy...	1 1	Melvin J. Allen..... Clergyman..... Pelham, N. H.
Apr. 24	Nashua...	Joseph Mahoney... Ellen Owens....	Nashua ... Pelham....	33 34	Fireman... At Home....	Boston, Mass... Ireland.....	John —... Elizabeth Dorr.... Percival —.....	1 1	Edward H. Langston... Justice of the Peace... Nashua, N. H.
June 12	Pelham...	Louis M. Barker....	Hanson, Mass... ".....	40 34	Civil Engineer... ".....	Hanson, Mass... Hanson, Mass... Wallace House...	Hanson, Mass... Frederick Q. Parker... Celia Beal.... Sarah R. Phillips...	1 1	Melvin J. Allen..... Clergyman..... Pelham, N. H.
June 26	Pelham...	Frank E. Harrington.	Pittsfield, N.H. Everett, Mass...	21 25	Shipper... Teacher....	Providence, R.I. Concord, N.H.	Timothy F. Harrington... Mary F. Whelton... Hugh Tallant... Louise M. Pickard...	1 1	Charles W. Hobbs... Justice of the Peace... Pelham, N. H.
July 31	Pelham...	Ernest H. Lundgren..	Salem, Mass... ".....	21 20	Painter... Shoe shop emp...	Salem, Mass... Wakefield, N.H...	George L. Lundgren... Catherine Ahearn... Stephen F. Shackford... Ada L. Smith...	1 1	Charles W. Hobbs... Justice of the Peace... Pelham, N. H.
Sept. 18	Nashua...	Ethel L. Shackford... Howard E. Fox....	Pelham, N.H. ".....	31 31	Carpenter... At Home....	Pelham, N.H... Lynn, Mass....	Gage A. Fox A. Julia B. Kittredge... John L. Vining... Abbie Bamford...	2 1	T. E. Cramer..... Clergyman..... Nashua, N. H.
Oct. 2	Pelham...	John W. Earley.... Ellen Kelley.....	Lawrence, M... ".....	31 34	Engineer... Demonstrator.	Windham, N.H... Ludlow, Mass... Mary O'Connor	Thomas Earley... Frances Humphrey... Hugh Kelley... Pelham, N. H.	1 1	Frank M. Woodbury... Justice of the Peace... Pelham, N. H.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF PELHAM, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1915

Date 1915	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age Yrs. Mo's. Days	Place of Birth	Cond'n at Death		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Disease, or Cause of Death
					M	F			
Jan. 11	Pelham, ...	Ezekiel C. Gage	70	Pelham, ...	M	M	Joseph Gage	Ada'ne Hamblett	Arterio Sclerosi s.....
Feb. 14	Concord, ...	James Lewis	69	England, ...	M	M	John Lewis	Maria _____	Pneumonia
Apr. 17	Pelham, ...	James Noonan	57	Ireland, ...	M	M	William Noonan	... ..	Muscular Atrophy
Apr. 23	"	Charles E. Watt	41	New Brunswick	M	M	Charles R. Watt	Carroll Coran ..	Myocarditis
May 5	"	Henry S. Russ	72	Salem, V. H.,	M	M	Richard H. Russ	Caroline Merrill ..	Pneumonia
May 6	Boston Ms.	C. W. Sherburne	75	Boston, Mass.	M	M	Merchant ...	Rin B. Sherburne ..	Gastro enteritis
July 29	Nashua, ...	Mary A. Fairbanks	73	Hudson, V. H.	F	F	Timothy S. Ford	Sally R. Staples ..	Arterio Sclerosi s.....
Aug. 25	Pelham, ...	Mary M. Richardson	61	Prospect, Me.	F	M	At Home..	Sarah G. Fuller ..	Kicked by a horse.
Oct. 11	"	John Voitkey	49	Russia, ...	M	M	Isaac R. Binson	Rose'! Harriman ..	Apoplexy
Nov. 9	"	Mary Coyne	90	Ireland, ...	F	S	John Vorcky	W'd McDermott ..	Tuberculosis
Dec. 5	"	Charles Dalphon	52	Dracut, Mass.	M	S	Retired...	Edward Coyne ..	Cerebral hemorrhage
Dec. 14	"	Caroline Thistle	52	5 Salem, V. H.	F	S	Joseph Dalphon	Richard Thistle ..	Bronchial Asthma
Dec. 22	"	Louisa Webster	39	Methuen, Mass.	M	W	Richard Kelley	Betsy Webster ..	Rebecca Sawyer ..
Dec. 27	"	John Mansur	67	Methuen, Mass.	M	M	Eliphlet Mansur	Rebecca Sawyer ..	Cardiac failure

We hereby respectively certify that the foregoing returns are correct according to the best of our knowledge and belief.

CHARLES B. STICKNEY, Town Clerk, Appointed Sept. 1, 1915

HARRY H. ATWOOD, Town Clerk, (Resigned Sept. 1, 1915).

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